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### California Environmental Protection Agency

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#### September 30<sup>th</sup> Deadline for Submittal of FY 2006/07 Summary Reports

CUPA Summary Reports for FY 06/07 are due by the end of this month. The Single Fee Summary - Report 2, Annual Inspection Summary - Report 3, and Annual Enforcement Summary - Report 4 are due to Cal/EPA by September 30<sup>th</sup>. Data from these reports is important and used by State and Federal agencies.

Please note that in addition to the normal summary reports, this year the CUPAs were requested to include the following additional summary information on local staffing within the Unified Programs; number of inspectors, numbers of technical staff that are not inspectors, number of support staff, and number of managers/supervisors that are not technical staff or inspectors. We are looking for this information in FTEs. This information will help Cal/EPA address questions from state legislators, federal representatives and other interested parties regarding the number of staff resources utilized statewide for the Unified Program.

Questions can be directed to Farida Rozy at (916) 322-2155 or the e-mail address below.

Summary Reports 2, 3 and 4 and the summary information on local staffing can be submitted electronically to Farida Rozy at <a href="mailto:frozy@calepa.ca.gov">frozy@calepa.ca.gov</a> or the reports can be mailed to the attention of Farida Rozy at:

Cal/EPA, Unified Program Section 1001 I Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor PO Box 2815 Sacramento, CA 95812

Congratulations to Sukh Sahota from the Sutter County CUPA for being the first to submit the FY 2006/07 Annual Summary Reports.

#### **Department of Toxic Substances Control**

#### **Treated Wood Waste**

DTSC has posted the final text of the Alternative Management Standard for Treated Wood Waste (TWW) regulations on its TWW website. The regulations have been effective since 7/1/2007. DTSC recently posted the slides and handouts from the June 2007 training sessions. Also posted, is the new online TWW One-Time

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Notification form. CCR, Title 22, Chapter 34, Section 67386.9 requires all treated Wood Waste handlers that generate more than 10,000 pounds in any calendar year to obtain an Identification Number for the site and submit the Notification within 30 days of exceeding the 10,000 pound limit.

In the upcoming weeks DTSC will post TWW Alternative Management Standards regulations training videos. The videos will cover the material presented during the June 2007 training sessions which include: the history and background of TWW, defining TWW, defining TWW facilities, TWW regulations' text, CUPA, LEA and TWW facility' issues.

To view the items stated above and to obtain more information visit DTSC TWW website at <a href="http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/Treated\_Wood\_Waste.cfm">http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/Treated\_Wood\_Waste.cfm</a>, contact DTSC at tww\_help@dtsc.ca.gov or call (916) 324-0064.

#### Office of Emergency Services

#### **OES Update**

SB 391 - Area Plan - Pesticide Drift

The regulations were submitted to Office of Administrative Law (OAL) and the Notice of Proposed Amendment of Regulations was published in Z-Register on August 24" 2007. The Public Comment period started on August 24, 2007 and will run through October 12, 2007. Comments may be submitted

in writing, to:
 OES/Hazardous Materials Unit
 3650 Schriever Avenue
 Mather, CA 95655

- by fax, ATTN: Jack Harrah, at (916)845-8734

- by e-mail, to: 391comments@oes.ca.gov (no spaces anywhere)

in person, at:

 Public Hearing
 Tulare County Agricultural Auditorium
 4437 S. Laspina St,
 Tulare, CA 93274
 Tuesday, October 9, 2007, 2:00 p.m.

The following documents are available on OES Website.

Notice of Proposed Amendment Initial Statement of Reasons Existing regulations Proposed regulations in underline/strikeout format Guidance documents from OES and DPR Sample Area Plan

Contact: Jack Harrah (916) 845-8759 - Lead Person for Area Plan - Pesticide Drift

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#### **Section 100 Regulatory Package for Forms**

- Mirrors Title 27 changes to Business Plan Owner/Operator form and Hazardous Material Inventory Form
- Dropped off package at OAL on July 27, 2007
- Package withdrawn on August 31, 2007 because Cal/EPA Title 27 Regulatory Package not finalized
- Will resubmit Section 100 Regulatory Package once Cal/EPA Title 27 Regulatory Package is finalized Contact: Brian Abeel (916)-845-8768 Lead Person for Section 100

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